

at close quarters. He was a well-read man. He helped me a good deal in preparing the Karnataka Memorandum. He used to write to me now and then and I have also got some of the books that he has written and some of his manuscripts as well. It was really a shocking news to me when I heard that Sri Hullur Srini asa Jois passed away. Hon'ble Members may now stand for a minute.

(Members stood in silence for a minute.)

Mr. SPEAKER.—The condolence reference will be sent to the bereaved family.

ELECTION OF DEPUTY SPEAKER.

SECRETARY.—Sri B. Hutchegowda to move the motion.

(The Member was absent.)

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM (Jagalur).—As a sort of healthy convention, Sir, I am not moving the resolution.

(Sri Samaji spoke in Marathi)
(English Translation.)

[Sri N. O. SAMAJI (Belgaum Rural).—I request the Chair that my speech should be printed in Marathi in the official report. I may also be supplied with copies of Bills translated into Marathi.]

Mr. SPEAKER.—Now the subject matter before the House is election of Deputy Speaker. Your suggestions will be taken up later on.

Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY (Bangalore South).—Sir, excepting you and a few friends coming from that area, we are utterly in the darkness as to what transpired in the House between you and the Hon'ble Member Sri Samaji.

Mr. SPEAKER.—I may tell the Hon'ble Member that there has been no conspiracy. The Hon'ble Member Sri Samaji raised certain points. I have asked him to wait for some time. Just now, we have taken up the question of election of the Deputy Speaker. After that question is dealt with, we shall take up the question raised by the Hon'ble Member Sri Samaji.

Sri D. DEVARAJ URS (Hunsur).—Sir, I beg to move :

“That Sri M. Madiah be elected as Deputy Speaker of the Legislative Assembly.”

Sri T. C. SHANTAPPA (Tarikere).—I second the motion.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The question is :

“That Sri M. Madiah be elected as Deputy Speaker of the Legislative Assembly.”

The motion was adopted.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Sri M. Madiah is elected as Deputy Speaker of the Legislative Assembly.

Member's representations

Sri N. O. SAMAJI (In Marathi).—[I request the Chair to kindly consider my three suggestions favourably which are as under :

- (1) The questions and answers and the speeches in Marathi delivered by me be printed in Marathi in the Assembly Debates.
- (2) Copies of Marathi translation of the Bills be supplied.
- (3) A Marathi stenographer be appointed in the Assembly office.]

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ಈಗ ಶ್ರೀ ಸಾಮಾಜಿ ಪಾಟೀಲರವರು ಮರಾಠಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದೇನೆಂದರೆ: ಬಿಲ್ಲು ಮತ್ತು ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಮರಾಠಿ ಭಾಷೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಿಂಟ್ ಮಾಡಿಸಿ ಪ್ರತಿಗಳನ್ನು ಹಂಚುವ ಏರ್ಪಾಡು ಮಾಡಬೇಕು, ಮತ್ತು ಒಬ್ಬ ಮರಾಠಿ ಸ್ಟೆನೋಗ್ರಾಫರನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದು ಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕು, ಏಕೆಂದರೆ ಮರಾಠಿ ಮಾತನಾಡುವವರಾದ ನಮಗೆ ಕನ್ನಡ ತಿಳಿಯುವುದಿಲ್ಲ, ಅದರಿಂದ ತೊಂದರೆಯಾಗುತ್ತದೆ ಎಂದು ಅವರು ಹೇಳಿದರು.

Sri V. M. MASCARENHAS (St. John's Hill).—May I know how many Marathi-speaking gentlemen are there in this Assembly ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—There are two members whose mother-tongue is Marathi. Of course, Sri Dalvi knows Kannada. But there is a difficulty for Sri Samaji Patil. That has to be admitted. The difficulty of Sri Samaji Patil is very real. I will try to see what can be done in the matter.

Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA (Chief Minister).—On behalf of Government, I wish to say that Government is ready to implement whatever arrangement you are pleased to suggest in this behalf.

Mr. SPEAKER.—I am thankful to you.

Felicitations to the Deputy Speaker.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ನಿಜಲಿಂಗಪ್ಪ (ಮುಖ್ಯಮಂತ್ರಿಯವರು).—ಸ್ವಾಮಿ, ಶ್ರೀಮಾನ್ ಎಂ. ಮಾದಯ್ಯನವರು ಈ ಸಭೆಯ ಉಪಾಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರಾಗಿ ಚುನಾಯಿತರಾದುದು ನಮಗಲ್ಲರಿಗೂ ಬಹಳ ಸಂತೋಷವನ್ನುಂಟುಮಾಡುವ ವಿಷಯ ಮತ್ತು ಈ ಸಭೆಯ ಪರವಾಗಿ ನಾನು ಅವರನ್ನು ಸ್ವಾಗತಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಈ ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರಿಗೆ ಅವರು ಹೊಣೆಬರಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಹಿಂದೆ ಅವರು ಮೈಸೂರು ರೆಜಿಸ್ಟ್ರೇಷನ್ ಕೌನ್ಸಿಲಿನ ಉಪಾಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರಾಗಿ ಹಲವಾರು ವರ್ಷಗಳು ಕೆಲಸಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ, ಬಹಳ ದಕ್ಷತೆಯಿಂದ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಎಲ್ಲ ವಿಚಾರಗಳನ್ನೂ ಗಮನಿಸಿ ಯೋಗ್ಯವಾದ ರೀತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸೂಕ್ತ ಸಲಹೆಗಳನ್ನಿತ್ತು ತೀರ್ಮಾನಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆ ಮತ್ತು ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರದಲ್ಲಿ ದುಡಿದಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಹಿಂದುಳಿದ ಮತ್ತು ದಲಿತರ ಸೇವೆಗಾಗಿ ಬಹಳ ಕೆಲಸ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಈ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಕಾರಣಗಳಿಂದ ಅವರು ಈ ಸ್ಥಾನಕ್ಕೆ ಅರ್ಹರಾಗಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅವರನ್ನು ಮತ್ತೊಮ್ಮೆ ಈ ಸಭೆಯ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಸ್ವಾಗತಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM (Jagalur).—Sir, I congratulate Sri Madiiah who has just now been elected as the Deputy Speaker of this House. It is true that I sent in a motion suggesting the name of some other gentleman. I did it with a purpose. Last time, when Sri H. S. Rudrappa was elected unanimously, I pointed out that the election of the Speaker and the Deputy Speaker should be unanimous. It is always in consonance with parliamentary practice that the leaders of all parties should sit together and elect them unanimously. Sri Hanumanthiah was the Leader of the House at that time. He acceded to it. It would have been very courteous on the part of Sri Nijalingappa, the present Leader of the House, if he had taken us into his confidence and consulted us prior to the nomination of the candidate to the Speakership. Nor were we consulted when the Deputy Speaker was nominated. So, I tabled the motion just to bring to the notice of Government that a healthy convention should be established at least for the

future and that the Speaker and the Deputy Speaker should be elected unanimously and that they should enjoy the confidence of all sections of the House. So, I do not want to strike a discordant note. I want even the Deputy Speaker should be elected unanimously and I want that a healthy convention should be established even in this matter.

My joy is all the more by the election of Madiiah as the Deputy Speaker. I remember with pride that once he belonged to us. In the year 1946, he was the Government nominee for the post of Deputy Speakership and when on against Sri Chennigaramiah.

Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK (Minister for Co-operation).—Even now, he is the Government nominee.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM.—He stood against the Congress nominee, Sri Chennigaramiah, and won the election and for one or two years he discharged his duties properly. Fortunately or unfortunately, he has crossed the floor and joined the ruling party and it gave me a great shock to see him donning a white cap on one fine morning.

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA (Minister for Agriculture).—That is a change for the better.

Sri J. MOHAMED IMAM.—I am glad that the then Government nominee who stood against the Congress nominee has today been elected as the Deputy Speaker. To whatever party he may belong and wherever he may sit, my affection stands the same. I love him all the same and I love him as Sri Madiiah.

With these observations, I associate myself with the sentiments expressed by the Leader of the House and I congratulate Sri Madiiah on his election as the Deputy Speaker. I am sure that when he gets the occasion to guide the deliberations in this House, he will forget that he belongs to a party and that he will conduct the deliberations wisely and impartially.

1-30 P. M.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಮಾದಯ್ಯ (ಉಪಸಭಾಪತಿಯವರು).—ಸ್ವಾಮಿ, ಈ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸಭೆಯ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರಾದ ತಮ್ಮಿಂದ ಕೂಡಿದ ಈ ಸಭೆಯ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸದಸ್ಯರೆಲ್ಲರೂ ಸಹ